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Embassy Madrid is aware of no concerns or objections regarding the foreign policy implications of reftel grant. Embassy checked with the two Spanish institutions listed as participating in the grant award. Dr. Justo Garcia de Yebenes of the Ramon and Cajal Hospital confirmed that he leads a team that will work on this project. However, Dr. Asuncion Martinez of the Jimenez Diaz Foundation indicated that her foundation would not participate. She indicated that she understood that Dr. de Yebenes of the Ramon and Cajal Hospital would participate in the project.
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